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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Applicant:** Jeffrey F. Tempas  
**Application No.:** 10/821,779  
**Filing Date:** April 9, 2004  
**Title:** NON-DAMMING COUPLER  
**Group Art No:** 3679  
**Examiner:** James M. Hewitt  
**Confirmation No.:** 1441  
**Atty. Docket No.:** 550299.00002

## AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner For Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 11, 2005, please enter into the record of the above application the following amendment.

1. Pages 2 and 3 contain claim amendments.
2. Page 4 contains remarks.